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In re Patent Application of )  
Isaac K. ELLIOTT ) Group Art Unit: 2665  
Application No.: 08/746,901 ) Examiner: S. Nguyen  
Filed: November 18, 1996 )  
For: SYSTEM, METHOD AND )  
ARTICLE OF MANUFACTURE FOR )  
SELECTING A GATEWAY OF A )  
HYBRID COMMUNICATION SYSTEM )  
ARCHITECTURE )

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AMENDMENT

Commissioner of Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action, dated May 20, 2002, the period for response being extended through October 21, 2002 (October 20, 2002 being a Sunday) by the filing of a petition for a two month extension of time and the requisite fee concurrently herewith, please amend this application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claims 31-35 and 40 as follows:

31. (Amended) A method for selecting a gateway proximal to a network access point that satisfies a predefined call service on a hybrid network, wherein the hybrid network includes

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